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Anticipated Classification Of
This Application:
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Attorney's Docket No: A148 1540.2
Prior Application Information
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To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

This is a request for filing a **divisional** application of pending prior application serial no. 09/685,305 filed on October 10, 2000, of Kean M. Anspach for "Self-Adhering Surface Covering and Method of Making."

1. X Enclosed is a copy of the latest inventor signed prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed. The attached copy contains no matter that would have been new matter in the prior application.

2A. X The filing fee is calculated below:

For	#Filed	Paid By Basic Fee	#Extra	Rate LE/SE	Fee LE/SE
Total Claims	17	- 20	= 0	X \$18/\$9	= 0
Independent Claims	1	- 3	= 0	X \$84/\$42	= 0
Multiple Dependent Claims				+	=
				Basic Fee	\$740/\$370
				Total Filing Fee	\$740.00

2B. Declarations of Small Entity are enclosed.

2C. Small entity status is still proper and is desired.

3. X A check in the amount of \$740.00 is enclosed.

4. X Cancel in this application original claims 18-54 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

5. X Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application (serial number 09/685,305) is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. X Amend the specification by adding the following text after the title of the invention:

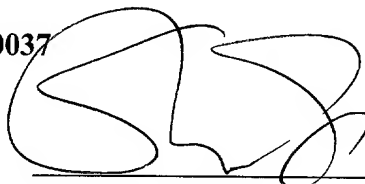
CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a divisional of application serial no. 09/685,305, filed October 10, 2000.

7. A copy of the formal drawings for application serial no. are enclosed.
8. X The prior application is assigned of record to Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
9. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
10. X Also enclosed: Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449
11. X The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
Name James F. Vaughan et al. Reg. No. 31,889
The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
12. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 09-0528.
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